

	REDMOND CITY COUNCIL STUDY SESSION MEETING SUMMARY September 23, 2025, 7 p.m.
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Council President Vanessa Kritzer called the meeting to order, reviewed attendance, and overviewed the agenda. The meeting was held in City Hall Council Chambers.

Councilmembers present and establishing a quorum:

- ☒ Jeralee Anderson
- ☒ Steve Fields
- ☒ Jessica Forsythe
- ☒ Vanessa Kritzer
- ☐ Angie Nuevacamina
- ☒ Osman Salahuddin
- ☒ Melissa Stuart

1. Environmental Sustainability Action Plan 2025 Refresh – Strategy Review

Department: Executive

Action: Study Session, October 28th

Jenny Lybeck, Sustainability Program Manager, and Micah Bonkowski, Sustainability Program Supervisor, reported to the Members of the Council regarding:

- Community feedback;
- Timeline;
- Foundation from the 2020 ESAP;
- Focused outcomes;
- Building improvements;
- Sustainable transportation;
- Zero waste of resources;
- Resilient community and environment; and
- Timeline.

Discussion ensued regarding: balancing with economic issues; costs; water resilience; diversion; durables pilot program; electrification; net zero timeline; healthy fish and wildlife; and plan updates.

2. Capital Facilities Plan 2050- General Government

Department: Parks and Recreation

Action: Study Session, October 28th

Loreen Hamilton, Parks and Recreation Director, Cameron Zapata, Senior Planner, Quinn Kuhnhausen, Facilities Manager, and Glenn Coil, Senior Planner, reported to the Members of the Council regarding:

- Updating the plan;

- Needs for capital facilities and financing;
- Changes to facility conditions and department needs;
- Benefits of updating the plan;
- Relationship to other plans;
- Collaboration and process;
- Key findings;
- Maintenance;
- Major projects;
- Cost and revenue sources; and
- Timeline.

Discussion ensued regarding: finances; Overlake parcel; community service center; shared spaces; pool; being proactive; and next steps.

3. Redmond Town Center Master Planned Development and Development Agreement

Department: Planning and Community Development

Action: Public Hearing, October 21st

Carol Helland, Director of Planning and Community Development, David Lee, Planning Manager, and Alex Hunt, Senior Planner, reported to the Members of the Council regarding:

- Quasi-judicial decision;
- Project site;
- Project and phase overview;
- Incentives;
- Public benefits;
- Flexibility; and
- Timeline.

Discussion ensued regarding: presentation; non pedestrian generating use; approval of the full plan; LEED platinum; flexible spaces; open space impacts; modification to public space; vacancies; and next steps.

4. Council Talk Time

- Council Conversations will be held on Thursday at Esterra Park;
- Metro Flex;
- Calendaring for next year;
- Marching band with new uniforms;
- Community events;
- Gun buy back program;
- Regional board openings;
- A food drive will be held on October 4th at the Bella Bottega QFC;
- Redmond tree giveaway distribution will be held on Saturday; and
- Happy new year to Jewish residents.

Meeting adjourned at 8:40 p.m.